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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION ACCOMPANYING RCE

In response to the final Office Action dated April 7, 2010 and the Advisory Action dated October 8, 2010, applicants request continued examination (RCE) and reconsideration, in view of the remarks below, of the rejection of the reissue application regarding the requirement of a new reissue application declaration. Applicants also petition for a 5-month extension of time. Because a Notice of Appeal was filed on October 6, 2010, a 5-month extension would be appropriate for responding to the final Office Action and the Advisory Action. The petition fee is paid with credit card.

Remarks begin in page 2 of this paper.